CURRENT TOPICS.

Burrato Bill's wife has applied for a di-SEA bathing by moonlight or starlight is

SENATOR RIDDLEBERGER once fought two duels in one day.

In the Mexican church choir no woman is allowed to sing.

THERE are 1,400,000,000 cigarettes smoked in this country annually. That are raising peaches ten inches tercumference at Bentonville, Ark.

Tue hop crop of the Mohawk Valley, N ALL the Vanderbilt roads will do away

The Pacific Bailway Commission will sit in New York from September 20 to Qo-teber 1.

American wind-mills are helping Egypt's grain growers to compete with Western farmers. A LITTLE child near Charlotte, Mich., fell into a milk can head first and was

COUNTERFEIT two-dollar silver certificates are giving considerable trouble in

THE people of this country spend \$82,-000,000 a year for silks. Less than half of

Vacue rumers are in the social breeze about a coming marriage of a Duke to an "American girl." THE great Tower of Babel which is to

distinguish the French Exhibition of 1889 is gradually rising.

Mank Twain, the richest humorist in the world, is an inveterate smoker and an un-tiring billiard player.

EMPLOYES of the Pennsylvania railroa are to organize independent assemblies of the Knights of Labor.

It is said that Flood and Mackay lost 28,000,000 in the recent attempted wheat corner in San Francisco. GENERAL BLACK, the Pension Commis sioner, draws the largest pension enjoyed by any soldier-\$25 a week.

An O'Neil (Neb.) girl fell out of a secon story window to the ground and landed uninjured on her rubber bustle.

It is said of Russell Sage that he can command \$25,000,000 in cash in half an hour any time during business hours.

THERE is still another railroad dange that must go along with the car stove and the wooden bridge—the grade crossing. An Ensenada (Cal.) paper speaks of ma-hogany as so plentiful in that section that it forms the cheapest kind of fuel for do

J. E. SHERMAN, of Cape Charles, Va., has

J. E. SHERMAN, of Cape Charles, Va., has raised \$16,000 worth of kale from fifty acres, or \$320 per acre. His net profit is \$12,900, or \$250 per acre.

The public debt has been reduced at the average rate of \$32,705,975 each year, \$174,-186 each day, and \$120.47 for every minute of the last twenty they remain. of the last twenty-two years.

AT Seymour, Can., the other day, a man ras found dead in the woods with a child laying beside the dead body, but too young to convey any information. WHEN a horse with the cognomen of

Laggard wins a \$10,000 purse, the eternal phere receives another striking illustra

A BOLD, bad young man has been writing love letters to the daughter of Jay Gould, and her brother explains to a reporter that the writer has never seen the young MILLIONAIRE MACKAY, of California

has received the cross of the Legion of Honor from the French Government for making Havre the terminus of his Atlantic cable. MRS. ROGERS is the cattle Queen of Tex

as, said to be worth \$1,000,000. Her hus-band is a preacher, and Mrs. Rogers looks after the business end of the estab-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S invitation Pittsburgh is to be engraved on a stee

plate, which is to be rolled until it thickness and can be rolled together in the form WHARTON BAKER, of Philadelphia, is a

the head of the American syndicate which has just secured such extensive conces-sions in China for banking, building rail-roads, telegraphs and telephones, devel-THE death of Prof. Baird before com pleting his sixty-fifth year shows that men of science do not always understand the science of life. A man of his powerful physique and great abilities should have lived at least eighty years.

Nor to be outdone by Yan Phon Lee, the Chinaman, Jo Kichi Takomini, a Japanese aobleman, has just married Miss Carrie Hitch, a beautiful Creole belle of New Or

leans. There seems to be no limit to the enterprise of American girls. OGRAPH, said to be one of th largest in the world, has been taken of the United States Treasury building at Washington. It measures seven feet by four and is to be presented to ex-Secretary of the Treasury, Daniel E. Manning.

the Treasury, Daniel E. Manning.

THE real estate craze in Southern California has even demoralized the doctors.

In writing a prescription recently one of them added this direction: "Take one-third down and the remainder in one and two years, secured by mortgage."

SEVEN thousand people assembled at City Point, Boston, the other day, to witness a series of awimming matches between series of swimming matches between dogs. The contestants swam from a barge anchored about half a mile off shore to s

point within a short distance of land. DR. SPENCER F. BAIRD, the deceased ecretary of the Smithsonian Institute, in

the author of more than 1,200 books, pamphlets and publications of various kinds.

Elder Evans, of the Shaker community at New Lebanon, Columbia County, N. Y. has just collabrated his eighty-fifth birth day. For fifty-five years he has abstained from eating fish and flesh.

The Mormons have a story that some Eastern phrenologist has offered \$1,000 for John Taylor's head, and the tomb of the dead president will be jealously guarded

CONQUERED.

Going Through the Treacherous Rapids in a Boat.

erilous Trip Made by the Inventor of a Craft Calculated to Rob Turbulent Sea of Their Terror.

Buppalo, N. Y., Aug. 28.—C. A. Percy, a wagon-maker of Suspension Bridge, went through the Niagara rapids this afternoon in a life-saving apparatus resembling a life-boat. The trip was attended with much danger, chief of which was the likelihood of the craft heavy days at the control of the craft heavy days at the control of the craft heavy days are such as the likelihood of the craft heavy days at the control of the craft heavy days are such as the craft has the craft heavy days are such as the craft heavy days are such a hood of the craft being destroyed by sunk-en rocks. Large crowds along the banks of the gorge saw the experiment. Percy's invention is seventeen feet long and near ly five feet wide, is shaped like a surf-boat nd covered with water-proof canvas. The seel is weighted with three hundred pounds of iron plate and strongly ribbed, the whole weight is nine hundred pounds. At each end is an air chamber pounds. At each end is an air chamber six and a half feet long, and between them is another space four feet long, which can be utilized to carry passengers; provision is made for using oars. These chambers can be imperviously closed, and the only trouble seems to be the air supply. Percy claims that his invention is In Milan, they have no sidewalks; but the entire street is paved smoothly from house to house.

The people of this country spend \$82.000,000 a year for silks. Less than half of it is woven here. it subsequently in the gorge. The start was made from the old Maid of the Mist landing from which all the barrel naviga-tors have left. Percy changed his attire fixed up a drag consisting of a thirty pound weight and a ten-foot line, and the rowed out toward the Canadian shore. The under-current had no effect on the drag. At half-past three Percy pulled it his oars, and as the boat drifted rapidly toward the whirlpool rapids, entered the rear air chanber. At twenty-five minutes of four o'clock the boat passed under the bridge. It was tossed about in the big breakers, as the barrels had been, but behaved better. It was fre quently out of sight, and was turned abou by the counter currents, but never rolled over. As it neared the Whirlpool Rapids Percy put his head out, but drew it back breaker. This was the worst one of the lot, and Percy had been deceived by the luil in the torrent. Just before it the craft went out of view for a mo ment, but turned up safely in the maelstrom. It did not circle around, but was carried toward the Canadian shore Percy again emerged from the air cham ber. He had been sufficiently shaken up and seeing a chance to row ashore wit out encountering the Devil's Rapids, he did so, landing at Colt's elevator twenty minutes after he had struck the first breakers. Only five minutes were spent in the rapids. Percy was none the wors

Boston, Aug. 28.—Jesse Pomeroy, the boy murderer, who has been in prison sev eral years as a result of a series of horri ble murders, has just confessed to a crim of which he was not suspected. He ad mits having decoyed a little boy named Horace Miller out on the South Boston marshes and cut him almost to pieces. grow had a mania for cutting He was only fourteen years old a trying to get the young fiend pardoned quietus on their efforts.

Thought He Had 'Em.

MARQUETTE, Micn., Aug. 28.—A mischiev-us workman named Poik, at the big mill at Ontonagon, placed a small garter snake named Hollis yesterday. The man was busy and the reptile made the ascent of is neck before he noticed that something was wrong. Then he craned his nec c and met the flashing eyes and vibrating tongue of the snake within two inches of his nos and with a yell of horror threw up hi hands and rolled upon the floor in a dead faint, and is very low from the effect o

Death Sentence Commuted.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 28.—Governor Richardson has commuted the sentence of Oxey Cherry, the twelve-year-old col ored girl, convict ed to be hanged in September, to impriso ment in the penitentiary for five years The girl was convicted of killing a two year-old white child by administerting dose of concentrated lye.

The Comet in the East.

PHELPS, N. Y., Aug. 28.-Prof. Brooks of the Red House Observatory, obtained a comet recently discovered by him in the eastern heavens. The comet is now in Constellation Cancer, one degree east of the star lota. It is moving less than one degree daily toward the sun and becoming

Squatters in Southwestern Missouri.

St. Louis, Aug. 28.—Settlers are rushing into Southwestern Missouri and squatting on the finest lands in the State that had been granted to the Iron Mountain rail-road, which has been forfeited them by ailure to observe its contracts with the

Death of Judge Samuel Hall.

ATLANTA, GA., Aug. 28.—Judge Samuel Hall, of the State Supreme Court, who has been at the point of death for several weeks, died at midnight last night at his summer residence at Mount Airy.

Texas Cattle in Ohio.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 28.-The Ohio Live ion has issued a circular prohibiting railway companies from un-loading cattle from Texas and the Gulf States in Ohio unless they provide separ-

-A youngster sat watching his nother while she "pitted" cherries She inadvertently passed one without removing the stone. Hopeful immeiately picked it out with the remark Here's one you didn't unbotton,

-How is it that we constantly hear in cases of peril of the man who was "cool and collected," and never any hing about the man who was "warn

MEAT FAMINE THREATENED.

Beef to Go as High as When the Cow Jumped Over the Moon. CRICAGO, Aug.28.—The Tribune this mornring has a long article on the dressed beef ring, and how it is profiting by the low price of cattle. It says it is assumed in many quarters that a beef famine is not far away. Estimates as to the destruction o cattle in the Northwest last winter are tha in Montana there were about 400,000 head, in Idaho about 100,000, in Wyoming about 300,000, in Colorado about 50,006; or 850,000 300,000, in Colorado about 50,000; or \$50,000 in all. During the summer on account of the excessive drought, it is estimated that the losses in the beef producing States, such as Illinois, Iowa,Ohio, Missouri, Kansas and in New Mexico, Texas, Minnesota, Nebraska and Dakota, swell the total to 1,500,000 head of beeves. Many, however, assert that these figures are far too high. But this is not the main fact which indicates future famine. It is now known that from 50 to 75 per cent less of subsequences the second subsequences. cent, less of calves were born this sprin than is usual, owing to climatic causes, which must have its effect in time. To this which must have its effect that cattle pro-ducers have been rushing their sur-viving stock on the market at an un-paralled rate, and that from these and other causes many ranchmen are dis couraged and going out of the business Those who are opposed to this view argue that there are still 28,000,000 beeves and 13,000,000 milch cows in the country. The bulk of these, however, enter into local consumption and use. A great un-easiness, such as never before characterzed the cattle business, is manifest in business circles. The producer finds not losses charged against his account. The market price has been low on account of the glut, for in Chicago alone over 200,000 head of cattle have been thrust on the market during the last thirty days.

EPIDEMIC AMONG FISH.

Banks of Streams in Illinois and Wisconin Heaped With the Dead, GALENA, ILL., Aug. 26.-Within the past two or three days the fish in many of the streams in this section have died by the million, and the few that are left are rapidly following suit. The banks of the Galena river and branches are lined with dead fish of all sizes and varieties from the tiny minnow to the mammoth cat and sturgeon. At Buncombe, Wis., a few miles from this place, dead fish are so numerous on the banks that the stench arising from them is almost unbearable. At Lancaster, Wis., the scene on the river bank beggars de-scription, upward of fifty wagon loads of dead fish being in sight. There are numerous theories afloat as to the cause. One is that the recent rains have riled the water with mud, so that the fish have been unable to breathe, and struggling to the surface for air, have died. Another is that during the dry, hot summer, the valleys and marshes above were filled with some poisonous growth that, with the recent floods, was carried into

the streams and poisoned the water.

DENVER, COL., Aug. 26.—The Republican's Gienwood Springs special says: Bornstein, who lives about four miles below Meeker is just in. A battle has taken place be tween Kendall's men and a band of Indians. Deputy Sheriff Jack Ward is killed dians are reported killed. Several were seen to fall and to be carried off the field. So far as known, the fight was stopped by darkness and it is thought will certainly be resumed by daylight.

He Drove Into the Locomotive. WESTCHESTER, PA., Aug. 26.-A singular accident occurred on the railroad between here and Frazer last night, re sulting in the death of Wm. Walton, ton was driving home, and it seems that on reaching the railroad his horse left the wagon road and started down the track A train going in the opposite direction struck the horse and ground it to pieces under the locomotive. Walton's body was also fearfully mangled.

No White Pupils Need Apply. . ATLANTA, GA., Aug. 26.—In the Legislature to-day a resolution was passed taking away the \$8,000 appropriated to the Atlanta University unless that institute will give the Governor satisfactory assurance that it will not accept white pupils. It is believed by a great many that this resolu

tion will be passed by the Senate, and that the Glenn bill will not be put on its

Marries an Indian Heiress. PIERRE, DAK., Aug. 26.—Douglass F. Car lin, chief clerk at the Cheyenne Agency was married to-day to Madien Dupres the wealthiest Indian heiress on the Siou reservation. Carlin is closely connected with prominent army officers, and with the Carlins of Illinois. Over one thousan Indians witnessed the ceremonies, and th estivities will last three days.

Champion Swimmer. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 26.—Robert Mage of Baltimore, won the long-distance swin ming championship of America and

of \$850 vesterday by defeating But ler and Blackhurst in a ten-mile race in the Delaware river. Butler held the cham-pionship for five years. The time of the men was: Magee, 2:57; Butler, 3:10:10; Blackhurst, 3:25. An Ambitious Celestial.

Washington, Aug. 26. Moy Gong, Chinaman and laundryman, has declarnis intention before the Supreme Court of the District to become an American citizen He declares that he is tired of washed washed, and wants a Government office either the position of an Indian agent of custom-house officer, would suit him.

LONDON, Aug. 26.-Gladstone's resolution National League was negatived to-night in the House of Commons by a vote of 272 to 194. Chamberlin, Collins and two other nionists supported the minority.

The Inmates Spared.

Owosso, Mich., Aug. 36.—During a storm he house of W. G. Ketchum was struck y lightning and shattered in almost every art, without injuring any of the eight persons who were eating supper, though all felt the shock. Every picture in the house was destroyed.

Drill Driven Through His Body. PLYMOUTH, Pa., Aug. 26.—While Georgere, a miner, was preparing a blanche powder ignited by friction, and trill with which he was pounding thange was driven through his body.

Government Deposits. Washington, Aug. 25.—National Bandepositaries now hold \$20,354,204 of Gov

RAILWAY WRECK.

Three Hundred of Them Caught in a Shaft

Into Which a Lake Suddenly Pours Its Wi ters-Luckily All Escape.

MINERS' PERILS.

NANTICORS, Pa., Aug. 25.—Terrible ex-itement was caused this morning in the fatal No. 1 shaft at this place by the break-ing away of earth barriers that separated a worked out portion of the colliery from he chambers where mining is in progress and the sudden precipitation of a large body of water into a gangway where over three hundred miners were at work. For a long time past a huge subterranean reservoir has been forming, containing millions of gallons of water. This underground lake was 570 feet below the surface. The chamber where the men were at work was 150 feet further down, and about the same distance from the mined galleries. The first intimation the men had that the mine was being flooded was the sudden appearance of water in the chambers. As it increased in depth many hurriedly quit work and rushed to the bottom of the shaft. By this time a regular exodus from all parts of the colliery set in, the miners wading through water breast high before the last of them got out. The work of rescuing the men was proceeded with promptly, the steam-carriage taking up twenty at a time. All sorts of rumors were set adrift, and the mouth of the nine was crowded with anxious women and children, exhibiting the usual aturm and frantic demonstrations. Luckily, al were taken out safely. Ninety mules perished. Work will be suspended for an indefinate period, as the water is still running in. Had the earth fissure been wide enough to admit the whole volume of water at once not a man would have

PLUCKY DEED

Of a Handsome Kentucky Woman is South Carolina. COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 25.—Information received here is to the effect that a few days ago the Assistant Superintendent and Roadmaster of the Northwestern Railroad, accompanied by the sheriff of Williamsburg County, with a material train and force of hands, proceeded up a tram road owned by T. C. Willoughby, a large planter, lumberman and manufacturer, and began at the extreme en facturer, and began at the extreme end of the road, tearing up and loading the rails which were rented to Mr. Willoughby and about which there had been a dispute. Mr. Willoughby was absent in Philadelphia. In the evening when the train was loaded and ready to run on the main track Mrs. Willoughby, a handsome Kentucky woman, took a position on the road in front of the engine and refused. the road in front of the engine and refused to allow the train to pass out. A sofa and rocking chair were there, and she "held the fort" all night, and declared she would remain there until her husband returned. The railroad attorney arrived and at tempted, unsuccessfully, to make the wo man vacate. Mrs. Willoughby employee lawyers, but no settlement could be arrived at. On the evening of the second day the railroad attorney ordered the train to run out at any cost. Mrs. Willoughby her, instead of moving, she covered the engineer with a rifle, and ordered him to halt, which he did without a second or and hands remained until a compromise satisfactory to Mrs. Willoughby

Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 25.—Customs policemen and troops, led by Senores Felix Tames and Joaquin Castilla and Captain Romero had a fight with Mauriano and Resendez and thirty bandits on th 17th inst., near San Carlos, in the mour tains. The robbers were beaten and Re-sendez was captured. They had in their ossession a quantity of smuggled goods Resendez is wanted in the United States for smuggling, but that offense is no included in the list of extraditable of fenses, and it is not likely he will be

Stay of Execution for Jake Sharp.

WHITEHALL, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Judge Potter has granted a stay in the Sharp case m. a hansom drove up to the en trance to Ludlow street jail, and a clerifrom the office of Cochran & Clark entered the jail bearing the news of the granting of a stay of proceedings. He handed the note personally to Mr. Sharp, who read is without showing any signs of emotion of making any comments upon it. Mr. Sharp then handed it to his wife, who read it and seemed to be delighted at the news.

WINNEPEG, Aug. 25.—Letters from Fra zier and Stewart, dated Fort Chippewyan July 5, state that they reached that point after many hardships. Forest fires have been numerous and destructive. Destitution at Fort Chippewyan last winter was terrible, and several cases of cannibalism. are reported. One old woman at Little Red river admits having killed and eater her whole family. Starvation and canni balism are also reported from McKenzi

baltimore Burker Reprieved.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 22.—Governor Lloy late to-night reprieved John Thomas Ross egro, who was to have been hanged in Bal timore to morrow, for two weeks. The re communication sent to the Governor by Judge Duffy, who passed sentence

rnment funds. This is the greates aries at one time.

be filled by civil service appointment. The Commission intends to extend the "examination for promotion," under which these vacancies occurred, to other depart-

HARRISBURG, PA., Aug. 25.—Hon. Sim on B. Chase, of Easton, was nomi-ated by the Prohibition Convention by ac-

Two Persons Killed and Twenty Injured on

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WHEELING, W. VA., Aug. 24.—A frightful collision, with loss of life, occurred on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at Easton's Siding, a point twenty-four miles east of this city, at eight o'clock this morning. A west-bound emigrant train was descending a heavy grade, when it crashed into an east-bound freight train with fearful velocity, wrecking both engines and badly smashing a large number of cars. The casualties reported are Enof cars. The casualties reported are Engineer Al Smith and Isaac Arbuthnot, of the emigrant train, killed, and the seriously injuring of Patrick Fitzgerald, engineer of the freight train; two boys named Burke and Stansbury, of Grafton, W. Va. who were stealing a ride, and between twelve and fifteen emigants whose names could not be learned. The accident was the result of a misapprehension of orders on the part of the engineer of the freight train, who thought he had the right of way, and pulled out o the siding just as the emigrant train came up.

Bill Kissane's Experience Outdone.

FORT WORTH, TEX., Aug. 24.-Campbell Langley, the father of the once notorious and not yet forgotten Bill Langley, living in Bell County, Tex., says that his son, who was publicly hanged twelve years ago in Giddings, Lee County, by Sheriff Jim Brown, in the presence of several thousand people, was not hurt at all, but was allowed to escape; that the friends of Bill were per-mitted to arrange things so that when the drop fell the weight of the body fell upon an iron hoop, supported by an appropriate body harness. The coffin, which was actually buried, contained nothing but stones. While the last sad rites were being pronounced Bill Langley was well on his way out of the country. He has been living since his supposed execution in Nicaragua, where he is a leading citizen, and one of the largest owners and cattle herders in Central America.

Heavenly Visitors.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 24.—The largest comet that has appeared in many years is visible here to-night in the northern sky. Its outline is somewhat dim, but is

perfectly plain to the naked eye. It was first noticed about 10 o'clock. CENTRALIA, ILL., Aug. 24.-At 7:30 this evening the heavens north of this city were beautifully illuminated by the pas-sage from east to west of an unusually large meteor. It left agreat parachute trail behind it. Nothing similar to it has ever been witnessed in this section.

Wheeling, Aug. 24.—This afternoon a boy named Clary was holding a target rifle on the reunion grounds, when it was accidentally discharged. The ball, of only 22-caliber, pierced entirely through the fleshy part of the leg of a boy of ten, named Norwood Richardson, and then continued its course, striking Joe Griener, a boy of about the same age, in the back between the shoulders, injuring the spine and piercing one lung, causing fatal injuries. The accident is unique when the trifling missile is considered

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 24 .- During a thuder-storm in Aiken County a few days ago, Allen Pool, Mrs. James Harley and Mrs. Uri Noble, with their children, were returning home from a visit to a neigh-bor's house when a bolt of lightning struck and seriously, and perhaps fatally, injur-ing Mrs. Pool. Four of the children were slightly hurt. Mrs. Noble's infant, which she was carrying in her arms who was killed, escaped without the slightes injury.

Strange Affliction of an Aged Lady.

FINDLAY, O., Aug. 24.—A double affliction ame to Mrs. Folk, aged eighty-five years a well known resident of Marion Town ship, this county, this morning. She aros ate a hearty breakfast, and a few moments afterward suddenly became both blind and deaf. The loss of these senses is evidently permanent, and is supposed to be the re sult of old age, as there was no other ap parent cause for the calamity.

Profit in Bond Buying.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—A stateme ared at the Treasury Department show pared at the freasury Department show a profit to the Government of \$323,303 by o-day's purchase of \$3,133,400 four-and-a half per cent. bonds, or in other words the interest charges on the purchased the sum paid to-day if the bonds had bee

A New Admiral.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.-The President has promoted Commodore Bancroft Ghe rardi to be Rear Admiral in the navy to take the place of Rear Admiral Frank-lin, retired. Rear Admiral Gherardi is at present commandant at the Brooklyn navy yard. His commission was signed to-day by the President.

Defiance Voted.

DUBLIN, Aug. 24.-The Enuis Board of Guardians has adopted an official resolu-tion defying the Government proclama on against the National League, and ex horting all Boards of Guardians to ac ance the principles of the League.

Veteran Soldier Fatally Burned. TOPEKA, KAN., Aug. 24.-Colonel G.

raves, who was Lieutenant Colonel ne Second Iowa Cavalry, and Brigadi General of the Kansas National Guard under Governor Glick, was burned to death in the destruction of the police barn in this city.

Doctor Shoots a Burglar.

Sr. Louis, Aug. 24.—At 2:30 o'clock this morning Dr. H. Marx shot and fatally wounded a burglar who was trying to enter his residence, No. 1402 Monroe street. He gave his name as Henry Langer, of St. Louis.

Recurrence of a Mysterious Disease.

WHEELING, W. VA., Aug. 24 .- Many pe ole are dying of a mysterious disease is Southern West Virginia and Southwest mic that has visited that section

THE COMMONWEALTH.

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The grand jury for Jessamine County returned into court the following list of sensational indictments against prominent politicians and civil and revenue officials: James Barkly, United States storekeeper and gauger, concealed weapons, assault and battery and brandishing weapons to the common nuisance of all good citizens, and against the peace and dignity of the commonwealth of Kentucky; L. D. Baldwin, United States depaty collector, same charges; Wesley Hocker, McKinney Moss, Dick Moss and W. H. Phillips, judge of Jessamine County, same charges; W. T. Jones, Representative-elect, indicted for carrying concealed weapon; Henry A. Welch, jailer of Jessamine County and judge of the election, for knowingly receiving other than a legal voter. The penalty is a fine and forfeiture of office. George Martin, Henry Rogers, James ceiving other than a legal voter. The penalty is a fine and forfeiture of office. George Martin, Henry Rogers, James Young and George Bryant, illegal voting. The grand jury, upon mature reflection and further investigation, withdrew the indictment of nuisance against Colonel L. D. Baldwin, United States Deputy Collector, and others, believing that the charges in the indictment could not be sustained by reliable witnesses, and for this grave and vague charge they substituted an indictment for assault and battery, which they believe is as strong as the facts elicited will warrant. Among the new indictments are two for libel, one against Henry T. Duncan, of the Lexington Press, and the other against M. A. Cassidy, of the Lexington Sunday Banner. They published the report of W. T. Jones, that the poll-books had been found on the place of N. D. Miles, this without fear of God before their eyes, but being moved by the instigations of the devil, and so on. Bail in each case \$1,500.

The last saloon in Somerset has expired,

THE last saloon in Somerset has expired, ani local option is in force. There is great ejoicing among the anti-liquor mer For the past two years S. W. Hadley, of

Dayton, near Newport, has been traveling through Texas. He kept up a correspondence with his wife until about a year since, when it suddenly ceased, and his wife gave him up for dead. A few days ago she received a letter from him, and he are the suddenly ceased the suddenly ceased. explained the reason why she had not neard from him. While traveling through Texas he was stung by a centipede, and lost his mind from the effects of the bite. He was unconscious for several weeks, and for many days was at the point of death, and totally unable to give any account of himself. He is now slowly recovering, and writes that he will join his family when he is able to travel. ly when he is able to travel.

THE recent death of John Clay remove the last member of the immediate family of the illustrious statesman whose name

THE removal of rock from the bar at th nouth of Licking, at Covington, the work low being carried on by the Government how being carried on by the Government, is going forward very rapidly. Big masses have been already cut away and piled up on the bank for subsequent removal. The opinion is general among the river men that the taking away of the bar will have the intended effect of making the Licking a safe and convenient harbor for river craft at all times except when the Licking itself is on the boom.

MAGGIE BURNS, alias Robinson, who was arrested on the charge of bombarding the residence of Colonel George E. Currie, in Dayton, with bowlders, and sent to jail in

default of \$500 bail, escaped from that is stitution a few nights ago. The following Kentuckians were per sioned on the 26th: Dependents—Cyrena, widow of James W. Kindred, Speedwell Nancy E., widow of Littleton Johnson, Claypool; Lizzie, widow of Charles Link, Newport. Increase—John Lafellett, Nev Haven; Andrew Stellan, Louisville; She ton Baker, Perkins; Josiah B. Ashby Onton. Original invalids—Jas. C. Tyler Louisville; Jos. Arthurs, Petersville.
Mexican War-Geo. Rose, Sharpsville;
Sam'l W. Atkins, Davidson; Wm. B.
Whitesides, Riverview; J. T. Clark,

JACOB SIPES was thrown from his buggy ear Custer, Breckenridge County, an

AT Hawesville, Hancock County, Emile

Kauffman was crushed to death in a well newly dug.
THE counsel for Lindsey Smith, convict ed at Nicholasville, of murder, has applied for a new trial, on the ground that the

man whom his client was convicted of kill-ing has turned up alive. The motion for a new trial was sustained and set for the second day of the February term, 1888. Forepaugh's circus showed at Hopkins ville, the other day, and during the street parade a number of private residences, left unoccupied, were entered by thieves and robbed of money, jewelry, plate and other valuables. Judge Joe McCarroll was the heaviest loser, his loss amounting to

over \$300. near burning the other night. Early the night the Buckner Rifles held a me ing in the building, and some one threw illed with sawdust, which at 12 o'clo tunately, some young men, who were keeping late hours, discovered the blaze just before it reached the ceiling, and after

ard work extinguished it. The house was erected in 1820, and is said by lawyers to the best arranged structure of its ki n that section. in that section.

Joseph Johnson, of Covington, while returning from the Maysville fair, got into an altercation with a stranger, who slashed him across the forehead with an ugly looking knife and escaped.

ALLEN TANNER, stage driver, was drowned in Green river at Calhoun, a few days ago. Tanner had driven his horse days ago. I anner had driven his horse to the river to water, and mistaking the place for his usual watering-place, the horses sank in fifteen feet of water an were drowned. The man was drowned in

Word has come from Orlando, Fla., of the death of Rev. Gilbert Gordon at the age of eighty-six. For thirty years he was the leading Presbyterian minister of

GOVERNOR KNOTT gave a dinner to the

County, ended his existence by hanging in the Auchorage Lunatic Asylum the other morning. He was confined in the male ward and had been under treatment for

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

-There are \$100,000,000 invested in the watch industry in this country.

—A cannery in Oregon that is put up ten thousand cans of peas a day turns out a great quantity of vinegar, which is made of juice obtained by boil-

ing the pods of the peas.

—The well-known West Point foundry situated at Cold Spring, is to be sold. The establishment has been in uninterrupted operation since 1819, and achieved fame during the rebellion from

—An investigation of Spanish earth-quakes by two Italian physicists shows that they are more common in the coast regions than in the interior, and in the south than in the north; also that they occur most frequently in the autumn and winter months.

-A new material, termed celluvert, is now made by passing paper, or any fibrous form of cellulose, through a bath of nitric acid; the glutinous surfaces so produced are then pressed together and

washed, when they form a very tough and hard substance, useful in the in-dustrial arts.—Boston Budget, —According to Dr. Hellman the German investigator of lightning statist a house built on a limestone foundation—that is, in a district where the underlying geological formation is limestone—is least exposed to danger from light-ning. In a sandy region the danger is nine times as great, and a dwelling on loamy ground is twenty-two times as likely to be struck.

-An artificial ivory, of cream whiteness and great hardness, is now made from good potatoes washed in diluted sulphuric acid, then boiled in the same solution until they become solid and dense. They are then washed free of the acid and slowly dried. This ivory can be dyed and turned and made us

ful in many ways.—Arkansaw Traveler.
—A method of clarifying water has been devised by Prof. Dobroslavine, of St. Petersburg. He uses first a solution of perchloride of iron, and follows that with a solution of carbonate of soda. The quantities are said to be three grains of the perchloride of iron and four grains of the soda crystals per gallon of water.—Boston Tran-

script.
--The Shoe and Leather Reporter says that strikes in the shoe trade during the last year have cost in wages from \$5,000,000 to \$6,000,000. Nearly half this sum is said to have been lost in the five months' strike in Winchester County, Mass. The Wilmington strike of morocco workers lasted seven months and cost \$225,000. The strikes at Salem and Peabody, Mass., entail a loss of \$3,000,000 in wages. Lesser strikes

bring up the total. -The government of the Australian colony of Victoria is about to undertake the exploration of the interior of New Guinea, by sending out an expedition Chalmers, a missionary who has a quired a thorough knowledge of the natives and great influence over them. Recent explorations in the German part of New Guinea show that the large river named after the Empress Augu is navigable for small steamers to a point two hundred and twenty-four miles from its mouth .- N. Y. Ledger.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

-Do the truth you know, and you shall learn the truth you need to know. -George MacDonald.

—Talk is cheap. The man who talks too much gets so liberal that he gives himself away. - Baltimore America -Busy lives, like busy waters, are enerally pure. Stagnant lives, like agnant pools, breed corruption .- W.

-The young man who can go into a pawnshop without a quickening of the pulse and a heightening of the color has been there before. - Puck. -The man who sits down and waits

to be appreciated will find himself among uncalled for baggage after the limited express has gone by.—Whitehall -A shark was found high and dry on the beach at Savin Rock, Conrecently. It is thought he was on his

Rochester Express. -Every man has some peculiar train of thought which he falls back upon when alone. This, to a great degree,

way to Wall street and got wrecked .-

molds the man.—Dugald Stewart.

—An article is printed on "How to Treat Your Wife." One good way would be to treat her as well as you did before you married her, but few married men do that _Somere

-- Mistress (to applicant) - "What wages will you expect?" Applicant— "Well, mum, I ginerally draws so much a week, mum; and if the masther, after payin' the butcher an' grocery man on a Saturday night has an thin' left, it's share an' share aloike

The Lancet announces the discoury of a new auesthetic in Australia o which the name "drumine" is giv If some philan hropic genius will j go ahead in this line and discover anoine" and "cornetine," public idence in the practical value of sc

-A remarkable occurrence place in an adjoining county on ast week. A horse was killed by ing, and a newspaper account oncident, instead of saying "a valorse" belonging to Mr. So-s stated that the animal was "old and nearly worthless." This is the first me on record that a horse ki ghtning was not reported le."—Norristown Herald.

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dverdsing rates famished upon application THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st, 1887.

The wife of Gov. Taylor, of Tenwessee, was thought to be dying at ast accounts.

fand will be nominated for a second Greenup.

of \$4,000,000 a week, Reduce the

From indications it seems that Cleveland will be nominated for a second term almost without oppo-

Freshets in lower South Carolina have damaged the fice crops greatly, and in some places completely fuined them.

A large crowd was present at the pening of the Louisville Exposiion last Saturday at noon. It was a grand opening.

Chicago now has a beef corner by which the price of live cattle is reed down, and that of dressed beef kept at the highest notch.

Senator James B. Beck, in an interview, says that "Cleveland is the nly advanced Democrat the country has seen in two decades."

The Governor's ball at Crab Orchard Springs last Friday was a

The Republican State Convention of Maryland met last week in Bal-

Those having trade dollars will farming and grazing lands in Ardo well to dispose of them before izona, New Mexico and Florida

Judge McGinnis, of Huntington, -Louisville Times. W. Va., last week fined Hon. Eustace Gibson \$50, and ordered him to jail ten days for contempt of

last week with persons begging par- our high wages were because of taxdons for kindred confined in the ation or despite taxation, econopenitenciary. He denied most of mists have discovered and demonthe applications:

newspaper called The World, whose ning. sim in life is said to be the nominar tion of Gov. Hill, of New York, for the Presidency in 1888.

Judge Porter, of the Supreme Court of New York, has granted a stay of proceedings in the case of Jake Sharp, sentenced to the pénientiary for bribing Aldermen.

The members of the Grand Army participating in a demonstration in Cleveland, Ohio, last Friday refused to pass under a portraitfof Presdent Cleveland suspended from the Register office. Ex-President Hays, however) was present, and passed under the portrait, removing his hat as he did so.

The missing boat of the steamer City of Montreal, which was burned at sen two weeks; ago, has been picked up by a German vessel. The occupants of the boat were very thirsty, but in good condition.

Gov. Richardson, of South Carolina, has commuted to imprisonment for five years the death sentence of Oxey Cherry, a twelve-year

war on her hands before many

The Georgia House of Represenatives yesterday adopted a resolution declaring that the co-education of the races is contrary to the intent of the Constitution. This destroys

The following is an extract from in article published in the Courier Journal one day last week in regard to Eastern Kentucky:

"All the land is well adapted to stock, especially sheep raising, all kinds of grass, properly treated, growing very finely on the gently sloping hillsides or even on the teepest mountains.

Indeed as for that, the whole of Eastern Kentucky seems to have have been amicably adjusted any convicted criminal. and stock pasture; the water, the climate, the price of land-all seem to combine to make it so. And it is quite enigmatical why sheep and stock raising has not been started here on a large scale—only two ranches of several thousand acres Senator Beck says there is not each have so far been started with

cultivated, and those farmers who The surplus in the U. S. Treasury have systematically devoted is said to be increasing at the rate themselves to its production have made fair money out of that industry, some of the tobacco shipped from this section to Louisville being graded as strictly No. 1,

> Roswell Reardsley, Postmaster at North Lansing, N. Y., has held that position continuously for fifty-nine years. He was commissioned by 28, 1828, and his salary is \$150 per starving himself to death. annum.—Ex.

Sarffuel Shanks, a once wealthy citizen of Indianapolis; committed He was riding in a wagon with a suicide by taking poison; a fact number of other persons; when a which was kept from the knowledge pistol falling from the pocket of of the attitiorities tintil the grave one of them was exploded, the ball was reached, when the Coroner ap- striking Wearen above the right peared and held an inquest, after jaw-bone, which he assisted in the funeral ceremonies.-Ex.

Edward T. Woodruff, a Chicago book-keeper, aged about forty-eight By putting forward the younger years, committed suicide in that men of the State-men with fresh city yesterday morning by putting blood and fresh ideas, they can eatwo bullets in his body. He left a sily maintain their old-time majoricard on which he had written: "No- ties. To keep the old men to the grand affair. A large crowd was in body's business but my own. Give front, who have little to commend attendance and a gay time was had. me a rest." In his pocket was them save ambition and a namefound \$333.68 _Courier-Journal.

Thanks to this Democratic Admore and nominated Walter B. ministration, Uncle Sam is again Brooks, of Baltimore, for Governor. rich enough to give us all a tarm. More than 25,000,000 acres of fine

"Protectionists have done a service to humanity by insisting upon the fact that we pay to labor the highest wages in the world. While Gov. Knott's office was crowded debate has been going on whether strated the correlative fact that ,la-Atlanta is to have a new daily least in the world."—Daniel Man-

> It can not be said of, President Cleveland that he has eyer deserted a friend in need. Charles S. Macomber, formerly City clerk-of Buffalo, died in Washington last week in destitute circumstances. The President, who knew Macomber in his days of prosperity, directed that all the bills for funeral expenses be sent to him. He had been supplying Macomber's family with the necessaries of life for some time.~ Courier-Journal.

no better Democrat than William grants of that instrument. D. Kelley," and Mr. Mills told the truth,-Courier-Journal.

old girl convicted of the murder of lowing high compliment from the patch relates:

roops being between them and the own. There are indications that colored will have a bloody Indi-Gov. Knott's administration, yet it may well be doubted if the Demoratic administrations of State affairs will at any time present a House to reverse this decision of clearer balance sheet or more dignities to multiple . With this black eve fied and able history. A good many young Democratic officials have blaring that the co-education does is contrary to the intent constitution. This destroys in bill, which makes crimico-education of white and children.

Solution of white and children.

Solution of white and children.

Kentucky Notes.

Lawrenceburg had a \$20,000 fire ast week.

The Louisville Exposition promises to be largely attended. The main portion of Campton

The Taylor county tax troubles

been designated for a grand sheep | through the efforts of Capt. Gross.

Dave Lyttle, wounded at Winchester on election day, died Monof a worthless negro who is under Tobacco has been successfully indictment in three counties for va-

> horse. George failed to save him- courts. self and his country because a fortune-teller disclosed his whereabouts and crime,-Courier-Journal.

W. B. Montgomery, in jail in Louisville awaiting trial for the murder feud in Rowan county, Kentucky?" of Miss Clara Kitson, at Monterey, Shades of the brilliant but eccentric Owen county, last March, refuses New York journalist who was one Postmaster General McLane June food and is evidently intent upon of the throng that married Ada-

In Garrard county last week W S. Wearen was accidentally killed.

If the Democrats of Kentucky want bigger majorities they should cease to follow after reminiscences. is not abt to enthuse the young and vigorous element of the party.-Catlettsburg Leader.

F. Hager, of Ashland, he will see to it that the district rolls up her old time majority and the majority of t old time majority next year. He is feud, which has been ever since proa candid, generous, honest, upright gressing. gentleman, a zealous Democrat and

A Good S.gn. [Rochester Union.]

One of the most demagogic and dangerous measures ever before and give them half a teaspoonful Congress is what is known as the every fifteen minutes. As soon as Blair Educational Bill—a bill intro- they begin to show, signs of paraly-duced by Hon. Henry W. Blaire, sis hit themstenderly with a paving one of the Republican Senators ed from the room without danger.

New Hampshire, to arrogate the Springfield Union -hederal power control of education in the States through an appropriation of money from the United States Treasury in support of State schools. The bill is demagogic because it appeals to the cupidity of the States impoverished by the rebellion, by offering them a subsidy of money in exchange for a sur-Roger Q. Mills, a Kentucky gen- render of principle. It is dangertleman and orator; long a resident ous, because it is an entering wedge and Representative from Texas in designed as a precedent to warrant the National Congress, is most fa- wholesale assertion of the doctrine vorably mentioned for the chair- of old federalsim or paternalism in manship of the Committee on Ways the General Government—the docand Means in the Fiftieth Congress. trine that the "general welfare' It was Mr. Mills who, standing on power of Congress is an illimitable the floor of the House, said to Mr. power in itself, which, if it were Samuel J. Randall: "The gentle- such, would render all else in the man from Pennsylvania, Mr. Ran- Constitution superflous, instead of dall, on this question, (the tariff) is a power limited by the specific

The Legislature of Senator Blair's own State of New Hampshire happens to be now in session, gives a Governor Knott received the fol- good sign, as the following dis-

a two-year-old child by administering a dose of concentrated lye.

Six hundred Ute warriors are said to be camped near Rangely, Col., two companies of colored troops being between them and the town. There are indications that the color of the color of

It is not at all likely that Senator Blair will be able to induce the its committee. With this black eye to his educational bill in the house of his own political frieeds at home -the body that makes United States Senators-it is quite possible that Mr. Blaire may cease his advocary of old federalism and paternalism in the General Government,

Gov. Buckner and Pardon Prerogative.

The Inquirer has it from a ger tleman who is a warm friend of Gov. Buckner, and to whom are confided many of the Governor's views of public policy, that after Wolfe county, was destroyed by the inauguration next Tuesday it will be next to useless to fool around Frankfort in search of a pardon for

Only under one condition of affairs, it is announced, will Gov. At Lexington John Weigert dis- Buckner grant a pardon to any covered his wife in the arms of one man who has been fairly tried, con-Bradley, and a shooting match re- victed and sentenced. Wden it can Dr. H. O. Cease. sulted, in which Bradley was fatal. be shown to him, beyond all doubt, that the convicted man has, since the trial, come into possession of evidence which could not, with reathe least doubt that President Cleve- fine success, both in the county of day. The trouble was over the vote sonable dilligence, have been produced at the trial, and which if produced might have affected the verdict of the jury, Gov Buckner may exercise the pardoning power. Newport News & Miss. George Washington is in jail at Otherwise he will not interfere with Paris charged with the theft of a the execution of a sentence of the

The Rowan County Feud.

[Clifchnafi Commercia! Gazette.] A fash individual rises to ask us what was the real origin of the Iaacs Merken, come to the rescue! He has come, and we proceed to tell the truthful narfative, as related by unquestionable authority. There was a brilliant and fashionable marriage. "As the newly wedded couple were coming from the church a rejected rival met the bridegroom on the sidewalk, and asked him if he was ready to stand up to what he had done. The bridegroom said he reckoned he was, and, passing the bride to her father, drew his loaded derringer. Both parties then began firing across a handkerchief held by two groomsmen, and, at the fourth shot, the bridegroom was slain. The bride's father then shot the survivor, and was, in turn. mortally wounded by the latter's brother. This brother was subsequently stabbed dangerously by a cousin of the bride, who had scarcely done the deed when the brother's The Republicans polled a small nephew brought him down with his majority, at the late State election, revolver. An uncle of the cousin over the Democrats in this, the then pierced the nephew's heart Ninth Congressional district, and with a sword-cane, and himself fell the 8th inst., as after that time they were thrown open to settlement last notwithstanding the Republicans week. For the past twenty years these lands have been held in the Democrat to Congress in three sucgrip of two railroad companies. cessive campaigns, which was due step-father had expired under the Louisville Times.

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re several cases of flux in

Mrs. W. M. Stone has been very III for some time.

riday was Woman's Day -meeting.

at Grayson.

nse stock of stoves.

county, was in town this week. Mr. M. F. Garred, of Richardson

is reported to be very dangerously Some frost is reported to have

fallen in the country a few nights

Mr. W. O. B. Ratcliffe, of Pike who attended were delighted.

J. E. Robers, agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Co.; left Tuesday

for Pikeville. Wm. Jordan, who has been in Texas for several years, arrived

here yesterday. V

J. A. Hughes and wife left Monday for Cincinnati, where they will of that most important organ, the Liver. devoted attention of family and to administer the special in the form of spend several days.

and adjacent counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Col. Northub and little daughter Hermia left Monday for a visit to relatives in New York.

will spend several weeks with rela- he will be associated.

you are already a subscriber, settle ill arrearages.

ng in "Home Under Nero" at Cininnstithis week, ~

There were three deaths in the This is she experience of thousands whose county Sunday. One of Bernard lives have been saved by this Wonderful Dis-Holt's children, and Wm, Adams died. Also, a child of one of the Hughes'.

5 cents a vial at Freese & Norris'.

List of unclaimed letters in Louisa Post office Sept. 1st:

A. D. Breashear, Harmon Blackburn, Wm. B. Bickley, Miss Sallie tered to Gov. Buckner Tuesday by I desire to call the attention of the put M. Atkins is sick with fe- Thos. Stinson. C.C. SULLIVAN, P.M.

assortment of perfumes, among which will be found Tube Rose, West End, Ylang Ylang, Jockey lyert, of Cincinnati, was Club, White Rose, Musk, New ams, of Knox. Mown Hay, Lilly of the Valley, Stephanotis, Violet, Marie Stewart. lis Ringo, of Hickman.

If your kidneys are inactive, you will feel and look wretched, even in of Ohio county. the most cheerful society, and melancholy on the jolliest occasions Littlejohn left Tuesday for Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kid-Vinson, of Catlettsburg, & Norris.

A construction train has been Bros. have just received put on the Chattaroi, and the work of laying track on the extension will be resumed in a few days. The J. B. Auxier, of Johnson delay in the completion of the extension seems to have been caused by the inability of the Road to procure rails, the demand being greater than the supply.

ularly the series of lectures on the bar removed. Holy Land delivered at the campground last week by Rev. Coleman, Rev. Coleman's lectures on the of Louisville. The interest of his Holy Land were exceedingly inter- lectures were greatly increased by nature the display of his enormous collection of curiosities and relics. All things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

Roberts, when he calls on you. Or health. Brt Green's August Flower the can be seen from 1st to 5th of each month at K. F. Vinson's, Seventy-five cents. Louisa, Ky.

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left here Friday morning for Mar-shal, Texas, where they will reside married daughter—Mrs. Aug. Sny-Junction City, Ky., spent a few Marshal College, which opens its days with relatives in Louisa last annual session soon. We wish him to mourn an irreparable loss. much success, and, in common with at the M. E. Church South this podermic injection of morphia.

The stock of jewelry, stationary and notions belonging to Leo Frank will be sold at public sale in a few days.

An End to Bone Scraping.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shephard; of Hartisburg, file, says; "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffecting humanity knowit. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors noticing a letter addressed to you in the beef from Gen. Slevin, in reference to the cure of his son by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure, we were induced to commence the use of it so to a daughter Nellie my. Help your county paper along by sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at subscribing and paying for it. If 50 cents, and Bucklen's Arnica salve at 25c. per box by R. F. Vinson.

ed last Sunday. A good crowd was Miss Helen Remele, of Huntin- in attendance. Rev. Pope, Presi- Many nights have we laid awake to hold dent of the Millersburg Female dent of the Millersburg Female day, after a short visit to her brother at this place.

Milt Burns, F. F. Freese, John Milt Burns, F. F. Freese, John lecture was enjoyed very much by Milt Burns, F. F. Freese, John lecture was enjoyed very much by Calvin and Henry Sullivan are tak- all who heard it. Dr. Glover preached in the evening.

Good Results in Every Case
D.A. Bradford, wholesale paperdealer of
Ghattanoga, Tenn., writes, that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled
on his lungs; he tree many remedies without
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Geo. T. Hutchison left on last Homocopathetic, unanimously contues lay morning, for Kansas City, our that the strong alkali contained where he takes a position as operator on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad.

We are informed that L. T. Mc
That the strong alkalf contailed commodations at the Gait House are equal in every respect to the best two-dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar and fifty cents per case. They also concur that J. Monroe Taylor's tiold Medal Soda is the only perfectly harmless artificity for the most complete meals, which is the only perfectly harmless artific to the most complete meals, which to the charges are only one dollar and fifty cents per commodations at the Gait House are equal in every respect to the best two-dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day for meals and fifty cents per day for meals and room: single meals thirty, five cents. The Gait is headquarters for the most complete meals which the charges are only one dollar per day for the commodations at the Gait House are equal in every respect to the best two-dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day for the commodations at the Gait House are equal in every respect to the best two-dollar per day hotel, and yet the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one dollar per day for the charges are only one doll

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The oath of office was adminis- To THE ELITOR OF THE NEWS:-F. W. Weis has the very finest and admiral inaugural address.

> up as follows: Secretary of State, G. Matt Ad-

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In Brief, and to the Point.

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NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUC-Medical men, both Allopathic and Memorpathetic, unanimously concurred that the strong alkali contained to that the strong alkali contained to the strong al Clure, formerly of this place, but now of Ashland, was attacked in West Virginia one day last week by two men and severely beaten.

The Board of Trustees is at last having the pavements repaired, a job which has long badly needed completion. Some trees have been removed from the pavements, thereby much improving appearances.

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"Flux."

Borders, Miss Rebecca Massey, Chief Justice Pryor. Gov. Knott lical journal of high standing in the pro made an eloquent farewell address, fession. The article relates to a some and Gov. Buckner delivered a short what fatal disease now prevailing to a considerable extent in certain portion Gov, Buckner's cabinet is made of Lawrence county. What is called "flux" by non-professional and some professional persons is the acute dysentery of the books, the disease referred to in our extract.

I have not had an opportunity to test the remedy very thoroughly, but I am Adjutant General, Sam E. Hill, entirely satisfied with its use. An emi nent surgeon in the U.S. army told m that during the prevalence of the diseas among the troops in Southern Texas in 1880 ipecae was his sele and successful

It requires no medical skill or scientif-Levisa fork of this river has done in time of danger-common sense-is the from skillful medical aid, and the use of becacuanha, according to the directions given below, will save valuable lives.

I by no means advise any one to "fool" by the boats. While speaking of with morphia. Let it be used only by and W. Va. White's creek, among not be eaten in this disease. But it is them the one which sunk J. B. Pe- safe to say that any or all articles of food Many of our people attended reg- ters barge. All snags at Belcher or drink which cause any derangement of the stomach or bowels should at once be banished from the table. This de rangement is fature's danger signal. Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liv-er is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good tal results. G. W. W.

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A NAUGHTY SCHOOL-GIRL.

- I was a teacher some years age
 In a little Western town;
 I was young, and my upper lip
 Was growing its first soft down.
 I was a student in college then—
 In fact, I am proud to say,
 By teaching part of the year I went
 Through college and paid my way.
- "Twas in my junior year when first
 I taught in that town out West,
 and of all the schools that ever I knew
 That school turned out the best.
 I remember my first week of school,
 How the grown-up lads did try
 To "haze" the teacher, and many of the
 Were older and stronger than I.
- But I hold my own until I found.
 A carleature of me
 Drawn on the board, and my mustache
 Was pictured with lines just three,
 On one side one, on the other two!
 It was more than I could stand;
 I said: "Who ever drew that may come
 And hold out his right hand."
- Twas a boyish thing to do, I know, and one that I still regret.

 For the prettiest girl of all tossed back
 Her glossy curls of jet,
 And turned to me her great brown eyes; Then, rising from her seat, She came and held out her white hand;
- I took her hand; the blow I gave
- I took her hand; the blow I gave
 Made me her slave for life,
 Though it was so light that she did not feel
 The touch of my paper-knife.
 I used that punishment no more,
 And are the term was done,
 The friendship of the school I'd gained,
 And her promise I had won.
- My teaching days are o'er, but now She teaches school for me; The school consists of two bright boys And little maidens three; And on my desk I always keep
- The ivory paper-knife With which I punished the naughty girl Whom now I call my wife. -N. Y. Ledger.

A WESTERN ADVENTURE.

How My Stupidity Came Near Costing Me My Life.

I have knocked about a good deal in my time, from doubling Cape Horn as a sailor, to digging gold as a miner and fighting Indians as a scout, and yet the closest escape I ever had from death was with my eyes wide open and through my own stupidity. Early in the seventies, I was down in the Indian Territory buying horses for shipment East. I had a partner, and we traveled with our own team in a covered wagon. That Territory isn't any too peaceful now, but in '72-3 you not only wanted a trusty rifle with you, but you wanted the knack of dropping your man first. Traveling from ranch to ranch as we did, with every body knowing that we had money to buy horses with, our situation was one requiring constant vigilance. There was never a night that both of us slept at once, and never a day that we were not on the watch for some plan to get the better of us. In one trip of three months we had five different watch dogs poisoned, and finally gave up trying to keep one. You might imagine that it would have been worth while for some of the predatory bands roaming the country to make an open attack upon us, but the fellows reasoned differently. A couple of men armed with Winchesters and revolvers, and determined to defend their own at any cost, are antagonists not to be despised. Your Western outlaw, with very few exceptions, is just as careful about getting a bullet into his body as any one else.

One day in July, while we were on the north fork of the Canadian river,

and about twenty miles below Shaw-neetown, one of the horses in our team was bitten by a rattlesnake. I was driving, and I saw the snake as it lifted itself from the grass and bit the horse twice on the leg. It was a hot day, the horses well heated up, and the poison took effect very soon. We had no remedy for it, but were compeled to stand by and see the animal suffer and die. It wasn't quite an hour after he was struck before he was dead. In buying horses we stipulated for delivery at certain points, and thus had no spare ones with us. To make our team whole one of us must take the other horse and ride off and make a purchase. I had been over the route before, and I knew that the nearest ranch was twelve miles up the river. It was now four o'clock in the afternoon, and we were within half a the wench to make a choice. mile of the stream and in a wild and gold, and the misfortune horse naturally increased the wagon, and he had no sooner moved away than I began to make things ure. The very first move was to take the tin box from the wagon and horse, saw that every firearm was in good order, and beat around the camp to drive away any reptiles lurk- plied:

There was no use in expecting Pat-ton, my partner, back before eight o'clock or later. He would doubtless find a suitable horse at the first ranch, but the ranchmen might be away, or there were a dozen other reasons to call for delay. We carried provisions with us, and at about six o'clock I built a fire and prepared my supper. and was about to begin eating when I caught sight of a horse and rider aproaching camp from the northwest. The ground was open for three or four miles, and as I had a glass with me I niles, and as I had a glass with me I rode to the north without looking made out, while the horse was yet a back. I stood and looked after them sioned surprise, but the first look croved that she was white and that her cores was jaded and coming slowly.

Is I held the glass on her I saw her time I raised my look back, as one pureautical and the could have got the drop on me un to the could have got the mile and a half away, that he bore a until I could no longer hear the beat woman on his back. Had she been a of their horses' hoofs and I felt rather irn and look back, as one pursued, rel long before she reached me I had come greatly interested in her case.
he rode straight for the wagon, and
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ry much blown, and the woman's about forty years' old, and as tress, and as soon as I came up she

the drew rein beside me we surveyed clasped her hands and tearfully exch other for half a minute be either spoke. During that interval I caught an expression on her face which I did not at all like. It was a sly, sinster look, but it passed swiftly away and was replaced by one of auxiety.

was the first to speak, saying:
"Well, are you in trouble?"
"In great trouble, sir," she replied. "I have been living with my brother on a small ranch about fifteen miles distant. Two hours ago a dozen Kick-apoo Indians visited the place, wound-ed my brother, and set fire to the house, and would have assaulted me had I not fled on this horse. They pursued me for several miles, and I -I -"

promise of protection, and say that brother and teach the Indians alesson? siderable palaver, seeming to be very sensitive about getting me into trouble, and when she did take a seat on the ouch a mouthful of food.

It had grown dark by the time I had aten my supper, and it was now time and seemed a bit more hopeful. She explained that she had removed to the Territory from Clarksville, Ark., three year, and the brother, who was an old come on to remain until the place had taken a great fancy to the woman, and wanted to marry her, and her indignant refusal had called down the raid made that day. Her story filled me with indignation, and as night came on I was terribly impatient for Patton to return. About half-past nine o'clock I heard the gallop of horses, and was ready to welcome my partner, but before they had come in ight the widow sprang up in great terror and cried out:

"Oh, sir, they are the Indians who have been on my trail! Don't let them take me away! Let me hide in the wagon!" "In with you quick, and they will

have to kill me before they lay hands on you," I replied, and she disappeared beneath the cover with astonishing celerity.

The gallop came nearer and nearer. and presently a voice hailed me:

"The camp thar-hello!" "Who is it?"

"Friends." "Come in." With that a half-breed and a Kicka-

poo came riding into camp on horses which had neither saddle nor blanket. Both men looked savage and sullen, and were well armed. The half-breed could speak very good English, and when he had come to a halt and looked around, he said:

"We are after the woman who came into your camp a couple of hours ago. I see her horse over there." "By what authority do you demand

"None of your business. We have come for her, and we mean to have

her by force?" "I do; and let me give you a piece of advice. I see you are a tenderfoot. Don't put on too many airs in this county. It's a great place to have one's wings clipped in a hurry. Don't attempt any foolishness with us, or

you'll never know what hurt you." I had my Winchester in hand and two revolvers in my belt. Had I been a hot-tempered man, there would have been some shooting before he surprise for me. A Kickapoo Indian had concluded his bombastic speech. I lay dead under the wagon, shot am slow to anger, especially when through the heart, It was a great human life may pay the forfeit, and I mystery to me, but the woman was heard him through without being ready to clear it up. I untied her, roiled. The woman was hidden away washed the blood off her face and roiled. The woman was hidden away in the wagon, and had not revealed

her presence to them by word or move.

"If the woman chooses to go with
you, well and good," I answered, as I
looked the fellow over by the light of
the camp fire. "If she does not you
can not take her."

"Oh, we can't eh? You crow pretty loud for a spring chicke n. Well, ask

The wagon was about ten paces from lonely district of country. We had the fire, and in the shadow, although with us in a tin box in the wagon not so much so that I could not see it over four thousand dollars in pretty plainly. I had made a step tounder the wheels, and, supposing it to our anxieties. My partner insisted that I should be the one to remain with snap shot, caring only to send a bullet near enough to drive it away. The object disappeared with the echoes of the report, and as 1 walked along to the wagon, the two men, who had not dismounted, accompanied me. Standbury it in the ground under the dismounted, accompanied me. Stand-vehicle, and after that I staked out the ing within five feet of the vehicle I called to the woman and asked if she desired to go with the men, and she re-

> "Oh! sir, save me from them, even if you have to shoot me. "But you've got to come!" shouted

"She shall not go!" I shouted at him

"I give you two villains sixty seconds

in which to leave camp. Now go!' They were close together, and my rifle covered both. They looked straight at me for fifteen or twenty seconds, and then turned and rode away into the darkness. I followed them for a hundred yards, when they urged their horses to a gallop, and held the glass on her I saw her and look back, as one pursued, long before she reached me I had me greatly interested in her case. They simply permitted me to force them out of camp a she finally came up her horse was much blown, and the woman's seemed to betray hope and fear in She was an average-looking. She was an average-looking trees and as soon as I came up she

'Oh, you will not let them take me

away-you will not!" I assured her that they had been driven off, and that she was safe, and her gratitude was unbounded. It was now ten o'clock and after, and Patton had not yet returned. It was us to expect him until morning, and I set about preparing the camp for the night. As there was a strong probability that the two ments and return during the night, tied the horse to the wagon, told the woman that she could occupy the ve-Here she broke down and began to ory and sob. What could I do but ask there to disponent with her to disponent with his latter arrangement, doubting if the her to dismount, give her my men would return, and declaring it was a sacrifice on my part she could when my partner returned we would not accept. I bundled her into the drive straight to the ranch and sacri- wagon, however, promising that I fice our lives, if need be, to rescue her might catch a nap after one or two o'clock, if all was quiet, and by and by She did not come down without con- I let the fire go down and took my cir cle around the camp with cat-like step A few coyotes and wolves came about, but nothing seemed to disturb me, and blankets prepared for her, she contin-ued to cry and lament and would not o'clock. By that time I was very tired and sleepy. I dared not stretch out for a regular sleep, knowing that the eaten my supper, and it was now time danger was not yet passed, but I sat to look for Patton. I sought, as any down on a knoll about forty feet north man would have done under the cir- of the wagon to nap a little, knowing cumstances, to cheer the woman up, that any noise of account would inand by and by she gave over crying stantly arouse me. It was perhaps a quarter of an hour before I actually fell asleep, and almost instantly I be gan to dream. I dreamed that I was years before, being a widow with one tied fast to a tree on the plains, and son. The son had died within the that a rattlesnake was crawling toward me. The snake was coming to bite bachelor, and not in good health, had me, and I was helpless. Every move ment of the reptile was as ould be sold out. A Kickapoo buck as if the dream had been a reality, and my mind was as clear as a bell. The serpent came very slowly, halting every two or three feet to rear its head and look about, and when it was within ten feet its form changed. It was yet a serpent, but it had a small brown hand, and the hand

> was pointed full at me, and I saw that the hammer was up. "Whizz!" went a shadow before my face, and then I saw him behind me The snake was no longer in front, but creeping up in my rear, and yet I saw him as plainly as before. He came on slowly-cautiously-always a little nearer. When within three feet of my heels the pistol was raised to the back of my head, and I said to myself:

clutched a bull-dog pistol. The pistol

"So I am to be shot. It is a large bullet, and I wonder why he didn't bite me? If I was loose I would make a fierc efight for my life."

"Clung!" It was the sound of pistol hammer striking on the center of a cartridge—a cartridge which had failed to explode. In the same second I was on my feet. I human figure stood before me. I gave my heavy rifle a half sweep, and the figure sank down with a stifled shriek. Then I was fully awake, and I bent over the stranger, to find it was the woman should have been asleep who in the wagon. She was uncon-scious, but clutched firmly in her right hand was a bull-dog pistol. I wrenched it away and carried her to the embers of the fire, and when I had secured a blaze I saw that I had struck her on the head and given her a bad hurt. I examined the pistol, and when I found that the cartridge had been tried by the bammer, it did not take me long to unravel the plot against my life. I bound the woman hand and foot, and then kept vigilant watch until daybreak. She recovered consciousness long enough before this, but the only aid I extended was to loosen her hands and place a dish of water beside her. She did not address me, and I had no word for her.

When day broke there was another surprise for me. A Kickapoo Indian head, and then she gave the whole plot away. Patton had been made a prisoner by a gang of outlaws in order that I might be robbed. These men knew of the tin box in the wagon. The woman had been sent into camp with the story she told, knowing that she would get into the wagon. The two men came to distract my attention and the Kickapoo crept up to receive the box. The woman couldn't find it, and I mistook the Indian for a wolf and killed him. Then the woman concluded that I had the money on me, and while I napped she crept up to shoot me and secure it. She told the particulars as coolly as I relate them to you, and when she had finished she asked what I was going to do about it. Patton had by that time returned, having raised such a row that his captors feared to detain him longer, and he answered the question by picking up a rope and

starting for the nearest tree. This broke the woman down, she begged and pleaded so abjectly that we left her free to go where she would when we drove on. To have taken her to Ockmulgee, Kickapoo, or any other town as a prisoner would have been to cause us great delay and annoyance, and it was some consolation to know that the blow I gave her caused a wound from which she would not recover for many days. She was penitent enough as we drove away, but six weeks later was killed with her husband, a half-breed, while stealing stock from the Creek Indians.
-N. Y. Sun.

-A resident at Ocean Point, Me., reports a great fight between two monster seals, which he thus describes: 'I think they would each weigh one thousand pounds; they tore at one another fearfully; lashed the water into foam and leaped boldly into the air. It was the battle of giants, fearful to behold, and I do not wonder that the ancients created a mythology out of such marine tussles. Finally, after a desperate encounter of five minutes, both the combatants disappeared beneath the waves."

There are one hundred and one orisoners in the Washington Territory

Good butter will always command ready sale in the cities, and when flour, sugar and other articles such as farmers need are taken in part payment, the highest prices can be obtained. - Christian at Work.

-To make the choicest cheese, set at a pretty low temperature and use considerable rennet, work and cure at a low and steady temperature all the way through. Apply the renact at about seventy-seven degrees.—U. S. Dairy-

-In buying a cow find out for your-self if she be what you want. Don't take any body's word for it. A mean low is such an intolerable nuisance that many men are strongly tempted to strain a point in order to get rid of her. Ohio Farmer.

-The public tests of dairy cows at the leading dairy shows will do away with the acceptance of private tests, which are often received with suspicion. At a public contest there is an opportunity of comparing the cows under conditions of food, age and equal chances, as all are treated alike .- In-

dianapolis Sentinel. -The best hay feed ever yet discovred for milk cows is alfalfa, and the best ensilage is made from the evergreen sweet corn. With these two feeds combined, butter-making can be made a half more profitable in winter than in the summer. In the winter the butter goes the highest in the market Sulphuric acid has a much stronger and the farm labor is the cheapest .-

Farm, Field and Stockman. -If you are troubled with streaky and mottled butter, take two precautions. First roll the salt very carefully, so as to get all the lumps out of it, and then incorporate it thoroughly in the butter. While it is necessary to avoid over working, at the same time enough work must be done to get the salt evenly distributed through the mass of butter. -American Dairyman.

INDISPUTABLE FACTS. A Few Words About the Struggle for Pre-cedence Between Stock-Raisers.

Until within a few years, dairying has, over a great part of the country been considered as a sort of a side issue, or a convenient and necessary part of mixed farming. A few cows have been kept to supply the family, and when the calves were weaned or sold, the surplus milk has been used for butter or che with the conveniences at hand, and with what knowledge of the business the farmer's wife happened to possess, and this knowledge was too often composed of whims and superannuated customs. But at the present time, dairying is one of the great industries of the farming community. Building barns, cutting hay, buying feed, procuring ice, arranging for a supply of water, improving pastures and selecting herds of stock are all done with an eye to the dairying business; and this increased interest in the business gives the manufacturers of dairymen's supplies a chance to reap a harvest, and creates great competition among them as well as among breeders of dairy stock. any man attempted to believe half the statements and testimonials that are published to catch the eyes and the dollars of dairymen, he would soon land

in a lunatic asylum. Just now the greatest struggle for precedence and patronage is between the breeders of dairy stock, and if a man can keep cool and let good judg-ment control his own selections, there is a ludicrous phase to the whole affair. It is now pretty generally admitted that the general-purpose cow, at her present stage of development, is an unlesirable piece of property almost any where, and it will in time be learned that no one breed of dairy cows is the best for all places and all conditions. On a short, dry pasture which extends over a wide range of hills, large, heavy, slow-moving cows are out of place while on a moist farm, with a certainty of a full supply of feed, they would be the most profitable. Each man must study these things with reference to his own case, and not go crazy for something new because it does well somewhere else, Take advantage of the fact that this lively competition gives you a variety to select from .-

STIRRING THE CREAM.

An Operation Whose Proper Performan Requires Considerable Care. One of the most important opera tions of the dairy is stirring the cream. Simple as it appears, it is usually not half done at that. It is usually stirred with a narrow paddle, a sort of pudding stick, a most inefficient implement. It has but one merit, which is that it may be used as a knife to scrape around the edge where the cream may have dried a little to the side of the vessel. If cream is thoroughly stirred with this, the churning process will have begun, which is exactly what should be avoided. The fact is, when cream is well stirred, the surface should not be especially agitated-certainly never so much as to produce bubbles. There is a proper cream stirrer, and it G does its work so well that we have never known its use to be given up where once dairy folks had the article in use. It is very simply made either of wood or tinned iron. If a piece of p heavy tin is taken about as large and of the shape of a tea saucer, and a welltinned iron rod is fastened by riveting A and solder upon the middle of the con vex side, this completes the stirrer. It is like a tin saucer held bottom upwards by a sufficiently strong rod or wire. In use the saucer end is brought within a few inches of the bottom of the cream L holder and then quickly thrust downward again and again. Soon the cream G from the bottom will come boiling up on all sides. The motion is that of churning, but there is no churning, for P no air is agitated with the cream, and the operation may be continued until the most perfect mixture has taken G place. Thorough mixing of the cream secures perfect uniformity in ripering and that all the butter comes at once, so that none is lost in the buttermilk under ordinary circumstances. Many prefer a wooden stirrer because it may be left in the cream. It is made on the same plan, the disk and rod both being of some odorless wood.—Guernsey

-Hiawatha, Kan., has a young lady who watches over 15,000 silk worms.

This Popular and Hamer Beverage is Prod The drinking of, so-called, "soda-water" is becoming more and more general. There are nearly seven thousand fountains in Boston alone. They are found not only in drug stores, but in restaurants, bar-rooms, confection ery stores, and retail merchant estabishments. One house in the city has a fountain which cost between five and

six thousand dollars! All are familiar with the effervescence and foam that attend the mixing in water of carbonate of soda and tartaric acid. As the term "soda" is applied both to the fountain and to the drink issuing from it, one naturally supposes that there is soda in the foaming fluid he is taking. It is not so, however. The water is charged with carbonic acid, and is flavored and sweetened with some one of the various sirups. The carbonic acid gas is forced into water with a pressure of one hundred and eighty pounds to the square inch, and it is the escape of this gas, when the faucet is turned and the water flows

into the tumbler, that causes the foam

The gas was formerly obtained from carbonate of soda, and hence the pres ent name, which still clings to it; but it is now obtained from marble, which is a carbonate of lime. Marble is sim ply lime and carbonic acid chemically combined. The union is a weak one affinity for the lime than the carbonic acid has, and upon being poured on powdered marble, releases the carbonic acid, which is then absorbed by the

water. It makes no difference with the drink whether the carbonic acid is obtained from soda or from marble, since nothing but the acid passes into the water. In, and in the neighborhood of, large cities, the sellers of sodawater do not charge their own foun-tains. It is done for them at large cen-

tral establishments. The question has been put to us if soda-water is wholesome. Almost any acidulated drink is pleasant in summer and it often meets a real need of the system. Probably carbonated water is as wholesome as any. We should advise less of the sirup than is commonly taken, partly because it is not apt to be pure, and partly because, even if pure, it is not very good for the stomach. "Plain soda" is better than soda with sirup, and, after a little time, quite as pleasant as that. We believe that care is taken to have the water pure, and to keep the apparatus free from corrosive matter, and when this is done, no harm is likely to result from a moderate resort to the fountain .- Youth's Companion.

VORACIOUS MICROBES. A New-Fangled Sort of a Worm That Ea

Up Steel Rails. The existence has just been discovered of a detestable microbe which feeds upon iron with as much gluttony as the phyloxera upon the vine. Some time ago the greatest consternation existed among the engineers employed on the railway at Hagen by the accidents occurring always at the same place, proving that some terrible defect must exist either in the material or the construction of the rails. The German Government directed an inquiry to be made and a commission of surveillance to be formed for the purpose of maintaining constant watch at the spot where the accidents-one of them attended with loss of life-had occurred. It was not however, until after six months had elapsed that the surface of the rails appeared to be corroded, as if by acid, to the extent of one hundred yards. The rail was taken up and broken, and it was perceived that it was literally hollowed out by a thin gray worm, to which the qualification of "railoverous" was assigned, and by which name it is to be classed in natural history. The worm is said to be two centimeters in length and of the size of the prong of a silver fork in circumference. It is of a light gray color, and on the head carries two little glands filled with a corrosive secretion, which is ejected every ten minutes upon the iron. This liquid renders the iron soft and spongy, and of the color of rust, and it is then greedily devoured by the insect. 'There is no exaggeration," says the official report of the commission, "in the assertion that this creature, for its size, is one of the most voracious kind, for it has devoured thirty-six kilogrammes of rail in a fortnight."-Cologne Gazette.

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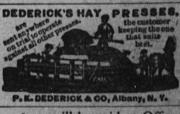
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